

Outside Attorney Docket No.: 218.1029

**DECLARATION OF INVENTORSHIP**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am an original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if multiple names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**PERIPHERAL FAILOVER SYSTEM**

the specification of which

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--- was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application Serial No.

and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

☒ I hereby authorize and request Davidson, Davidson & Keppel, LLC. of 485 Seventh Avenue, New York, New York 10018to insert here in parentheses (Application number 09/916,957, filed July 27, 2001) the filing date

and application number of said application when known.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claim(s), as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material in the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

**PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)**

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(a)-(d), of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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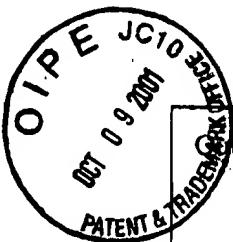
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